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	10/789,509	GONNERING, WAYNE	J	
	Examiner	Art Unit		
	Michael Peffley	3739		
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2. The allowed claim(s) is/are <u>2,3,5-21,26-41</u> .	•		-	
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Reasons for Allowance

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: applicant's amendments have rewritten the dependent claims to depend from claims previously indicated as allowable. All claims are now deemed to be in condition for allowance. Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Michael Peffley whose telephone number is (571) 272-4770. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri from 6am-3pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Linda Dvorak can be reached on (571) 272-4764. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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